Delaware County Man Sues His Sonin-Law to Recover \$1,200 of Which He Says He Has Been Defrauded.

SHOOTING AFFRAY AT LEBANON

RIGHT OF WAY IN THE ROAD.

One Wounded in the Leg-Another Small Strike at Columbus-F. J. Zimmerman Declared Insane.

HARTFORD CITY, Ind., March 13 .-Henry Bantz, who owns 300 acres of land on the Pennsylvania Railroad between Mill Grove and Dunkirk in this county, today filed suit for \$35,000 damages against the company.

farm by team. It is the largest damage suit ever filed in the Circuit Court.

Taken to the Appellate Court. Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

MUNCIE, Ind., March 13 .- The case of John Bartlett against the Muncie Natural Gas Company, a suit in which Bartlett denands \$5,000 of the company, alleging that e action of the company in shutting off e gas in his home last winter was responde for the death of his wife, who contracted a cold therefrom, has been appealed to the Appellate Court. Judge Leffler sustained the demurrer of the defendant comany to the plaintiff's complaint. Bartbe plaintiff take nothing by the action, and that the defendant company recover its

Suit Filed by a Centenarian.

cial to the Indianapolis Journal. MUNCIE, Ind., March 13.-Alexander Fercuson, one hundred and two years of age, the oldest citizen of Delaware county, tolay filed suit against Franklin Younts, his w. whom he claims has defrauded m of \$1,600. Ferguson is too feeble either o read or write. He alleges that his sonlaw took advantage of his condition to raud him of an \$800 note and stock valed at \$400. In return Younts was supposed to give the old man a mortgage on his farm. The papers which Ferguson holds are found to be worthless. Ferguson lives on a farm ten miles north of Muncie.

Suit in Partition Filed. pecial to the Indianapolis Journal.

ELWOOD, Ind., March 13 .- Much surrise was caused here to-day by the filing of a suit for partition by Sheridan Clyde, member of the firm of Clyde & Pauley. acturers of artificial stone and ceent walks. The firm has been in busiss for a number of years, and Clyde alres that Pauley has been devoting large ums of its money to his own use and hat he has secreted the books and refuses o make an accounting.

Alleges Defamation of Character.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. EVANSVILLE, Ind., March 13.-For aleged libel and defamation of character Britton has sued G. W. Hann and L. Visser, members of a business firm, for \$5,000. Britton avers they wrote a let-ter to another business firm branding him

WILL BEGIN ON MONDAY.

Trial of John B. Rose, the Defaulting Treasurer of Wabash.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. WABASH, Ind., March 13 .- The case the State of Indiana against John B. Rose, the defaulting treasurer of the city of Waash, is set down for trial in the Wabash Circuit Court on Monday.

It would have been called earlier but for the presence of Warren G. Sayre, one of his dianapolis in the Legislature. ng Attorney Brower is pressing e case for trial, and avers that Attorneys Sayre and Plummer, for the defendant, fter Mr. Sayre returned from the session t would come to trial without delay. Mrs. McIntyre, mother of Mrs. Rose, is very ill at Crawfordsville and Mr. and Mrs. Rose

Convicted of Burglary.

pecial to the Indianapolis Journal. PORTLAND, Ind., March 13.-Charles mith, the youngest of the trio of alleged surglars arrested at Redkey, and who, with his companions, afterward broke jail there, was recaptured, was convicted by a ry after an bour's deliberation. James ill, of Keaton, O., arrested with him. laced on trial immediately, James of Pittsburg, had a change ge taken in his case, and will be tried ore Richard Irwin, of Decatur. Charles rs, the fourth man, has not been heard of since he escaped from the Redkey jail.

SHOOTING NEAR LEBANON.

Two Farmers Quarrel Over Right of Way in the Road. pecial to the Indianapolis Journal.

LEBANON, Ind., March 13.-Charles Colgrave, a prominent farmer northeast of Lebanon, was shot twice to-day by Carl McDonald, son of John R. McDonald, a

ARISTOCRATS

Should Be Allowed Good Things as Well as Other People.

A Chicago lady visiting friends in Leon, Y. Y., heard her hostess say one morning: 'All of the aristocrats on Allen Hill have scarded coffee and are using Postum Food Coffee in its place." It seems the doctor ad advised the change as a remedy for lifterent stomach and other disorders aused by coffee drinking.

"But when I first made it I was careless. It was only half boiled and drowned in ing erected in this city at a cost of \$20,000, water, as husband, after sipping it, pushed | will be ready for dedication some time in It back and said, 'No more of that stuff for May. The stone work will be completed me, I concluded it was not properly made and examined the package carefully, finding that it must be boiled fifteen or twenty minutes after the real boiling begins.

"Next morning husband sald, 'You don't ean to tell me this is the same coffee you rave me yesterday; why this is fine.' He ank two cups and since that time we have ed no other coffee, and both of us have de a decided improvement in health." I had suffered for a long time from dyspepsia, nervous prostration, poor appetite and the usual disorders of stomach and s, not knowing that coffee was the of the trouble. Not getting any cofe from my hostess, except the Postum, I t only found it delicious but my appetite d, the flatulence and stomach disess left me and I quickly began to gain sh. Now 1 am enjoying a degree of After I left home my brother, who has been an invalid for some time, broke down intirely. He was a coffee drinker, and had n his stomach always after meals. lly his stomach refused to retain any ed at all, then the doctor insisted on his g off coffee and using Postum. ank Postum four times a day with rich and some sugar and absolutely no ood for several days; then he careadded other food in small quantities ats all kinds of nourishing foods and is igain working at his trade. Name given y Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

neighbor. Both bullets struck Colgrave in the left leg, inflicting wounds that are not considered serious. The shooting occurred in the public highway near the homes of the

Both were in vehicles, traveling in the same direction. One tried to pass the other | day's work basis. and a quarrel ensued. Colgrave struck Mc-Donald over the head with the heavy end of whip and McDonald retaliated by opening fire with a revolver. Only two shots were fired, both taking effect. McDonald was arrested on a charge of assault and bat-tery, and was released under bond of \$200.

Shot Down by the Marshal. special to the Indianapolis Journal.

HARTFORD CITY, Ind., March 13.-Steven Evilsizer, who barricaded himself in the Elkton block and defied arrest, was laid low by a bullet from City Marhshal Nelson Worley's pistol at 10:30 o'clock this morning. The prosecutor notified the marshal to arrest Evilsizer, and he went to his room in the second story of the block TWO FARMERS QUARREL OVER and alone read the warrant and attempted his arrest. Evilsizer picked up a hatchet and was in the act of braining the officer when he was shot. The ball entered just above the left eye, ranged to the right and lodged in the brain. He fell unconscious in the doorway, and the marshal turried to police headquarters and reported to Mayor Lucas. Evilsizer is now paralyzed on his left side and slowly sinking. The doctors say he cannot recover.

INDIANA OBITUARY.

Jacob Custer, Whose Father Was the First Settler in Dublin.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. DUBLIN, Ind., March 13.-Jacob Custer aged ninety-two, the second oldest man in Dublin, died at his home here last night of The elevation of the railroad tracks has old age. He was born in Butler county, made it impossible for him to cross his Ohio, in January, 1811, and came with his parents to Wayne county in 1819. The original Custer land entry forms part of there. the northeast portion of Dublin, and the Custer home was the first house built within the present town limits. As a subcontractor Jacob Custer built many miles of the old Whitewater canal. In 1837 he married Elizabeth Harper, of Franklin county, and two of their three sons were killed serving in the Union armies in the civil war. Three daughters are left.

Other Deaths in the State.

NEW CASTLE, Ind., March 13.—W. S. cents a day, which will Bedford, one of the best-known citizens of at \$2 and molders \$2.75. New Castle and Henry county, died of pneumonia this morning at his home after a week's illness. His death came very danger until an hour before his death. He left a widow and one daughter.

WABASH, Ind., March 13.-Mrs. Mary J. Cribben, one of the old residents of Wabash county, died this morning at her home four miles east of the city of grip. was seventy-one years old, and for forty years had been a resident of the county. The funeral will be held on Sunday. MUNCIE, Ind., March 13.-Flavius J. Set. tle, aged seventy-eight, died this morning at his home three miles north of Muncie He was one of the pioneers of the county. The funeral will be conducted Sunday

morning by the Rev. Oliver Carmichael. FRANK J. ZIMMERMAN INSANE.

For Thirty-Two Years He Was a Democratic Editor at Warsaw.

WARSAW, Ind., March 13,-Frank J. Zimmerman, for thirty-two years editor of the Warsaw National Union, was declared insane to-day by an insanity board He will be taken to the Long Cliff Hospital at Logansport His present mental condition is due, it is said by his friends, to the course pursued by certain politicians in compelling him to

install another Democratic paper at the county seat of Kosciusko county. He was forced to sell his paper three years ago and has since remained idle, brooding over

The Seeding Machine Company. Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

RICHMOND, Ind., March 13.-James A Carr, first vice president of the newly formed American Seeding Machine Company, which has a capital of \$15,000,000, has just returned from the meeting in New York city, where the details of the combination were worked out. Mr. Carr is president of the Hoosier Drill Company, of this city, which is a member. In a statement to-day Mr. Carr said the headquarters of the new company probably will be at Springfield. O., and that he will go to the general offices. Burton J. Westcott, of this city, who is treasurer of the new company, also will go to the general offices and the management of the Hoosier drill works will devolve on Fred J. Carr.

Busy Council Session.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. WARSAW, Ind., March 13 .- At a meeting of the City Council here last night the People's Mutual Telephone Company, of Silver Lake, Ind., asked for a twenty-fiveyear franchise for a local telephone system. The new company proposes to cut the rate 50 per cent. from present prices for local telephone service.

The Council discovered that the license of \$10 annually for each pool and billiard table in operation had not been collected. Instructions were issued to revoke all licenses unless this matter was adjusted. The Council also passed a resolution instructing the police force to abolish all slo machines and gambling devices.

Machine to Be Put in Operation.

good authority that the fires of the American window glass plant at Gas City are lit by the brown heart of the limb. Officers of and that six machines arrived yesterday the Connecticut Historical Society proand are being installed in the factory. It probably will be two weeks or more before the fires are in full operation. Although the officials refuse absolutely to talk, it is generally believed that when all other plants of the American company close next Saturday its Gas City factory will begin the experiment with its sheet drawing machine, which differs from the one at Alexandria, inasmuch as it will draw a sheet of glass instead of blowing a cylinder.

Another Strike at Columbus.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. COLUMBUS, Ind., March 13.-About a dozen wood carvers employed at the Orinoco Furniture Company struck yesterday afternoon, the demand being for a regulation of the piece-work system now in vogue and for a nine-hour day instead of ten. A similar demand was made by the wood carvers employed at the J. A. Granton furniture factory, and the reform demanded and the increase of wages asked was granted. A conference between William H. Lincoln, of the Orinoco factory, and the striking carvers was held this morning, but no agreement was reached.

Shelbyville's New Library.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. SHELBYVILLE, Ind., March 13 .- The new Carnegie library building, which is be within a week, and the plasterers are adding their finishing touches, after which the interior of the building will be turned over to the frescoers. This part of the work will require about one month to finish, after which the building will be ready for the dedicatory exercises.

Hammond Man Is Missing.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal HAMMOND, Ind., March 13 .- John Mankowski, one of the prominent property owners of this city, is missing. His wife and family have not seen him in ten days. He packed up a valise at that time and told his wife he was going to leave home. She day well is assured. thought he was joking. He is well-to-do, owns considerable realty and no possible financial embarrassment could have been the cause of his disappearance.

Planing Mill Man Assigns.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. EVANSVILLE, Ind., March 13 .- Philip Gearing, a planing mill owner, filed his petition in bankruptcy to-day. Liabilities are about \$11,000. The creditors live in Cincinnati and Louisville.

Strike in the Car Works. JEFFERSONVILLE, Ind., March 13 .- A strike is on in the freight erecting shops of the American Car and Foundry Company | pended

in Jeffersonville, and those concerned say there are between 150 and 175 men out. Su-perintendent Andrew P. Williams says he has no official knowledge of any strike. The trouble, it is claimed, is due to the refusal of the company to pay bottom men on a

Good Oil Well in Dubois County.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. EVANSVILLE, Ind., March 13 .- Oil was struck on a farm owned by William Chaney, in Dubois county, to-day. The flow is said to be heavy. The land was recently leased by the Standard Oil Company.

Indiana Notes.

LAFAYETTE.-Evans Bros., contractors of this city, have received notice that they have been awarded a contract for installing boilers in the Townsend-Reed Traction Company's power plant now almost completed at Lebanon. The Townsend-Reed Company is engaged in building an interurban line from Indianapolis to Lafayette. The boilers to be placed in the plant will furnish 3,000-horse power and the contract price for the installation is \$8,000.

SHELBYVILLE.-While Chester C. Emrich, who is about fifteen years of age, was riding his father's horse to water Monday morning on Mr. Emrich's farm south of town, the animal threw him, the boy falling on his head. Nothing was thought of the injury until Thursday, when he was taken suddenly sick. He died Friday morning of rupture of the brain.

MUNCIE.-George Stickler, aged forty, has been found guilty in the Circuit Court of having committed assault and battery with intent to criminally assault Viola Hudson, the seven-year-old daughter of Mrs. Mattle Miller, of this city. Judge Leffler sentenced Stickler to serve two to fourteen years in the State's prison. HAMMOND.-Caldwell & Drake, of this city, have secured the contract to erect the agricultural building at the St. Louis world's fair. The price was \$529,940. The building is to be done by Sept. 1. They will employ 900 men. The floor space will be twenty acres—by far the largest building

NEW CASTLE.-The officials of the Richmond-Anderson traction line will meet with the Henry County Commissioners on Saturday in a special session with regard to permission to change the prospective route of the road. They state they will begin work in two weeks. TERRE HAUTE.—The Terre Haute brick manufacturers have decided to raise the price for the coming building season \$1

a thousand. The manufacturers will volcents a day, which will put common labor | riot pay a fine of \$200 each, or that the class RICHMOND .- The directors of the Commercial Club have elected Stephen S. Strat- would mean an assessment of \$11.45 against ton, jr., president; James A. Carr, first vice | every freshman in school. president; Charles H. Haner, second vice

president, and J. F. Reeves, secretary and treasurer. The club is arranging for its annual banquet in April. ELWOOD.-Elwood Lodge 368, B. P. O. Elks, gave its annual minstrel entertainment for the benefit of charity Friday night at the Kramer Grand, which was packed to the doors. The performance will be re-

peated Saturday evening.

EVANSVILLE .- James M. Garland, of Dubois county, was arrested at his home on Friday and brought here and put in jail, charged with peddling liquor. He comes from one of the most prominent families in Dubois county

GREENSBURG.-Hunter & Crews, who have been in the livery business in this city for twenty-one years, have sold out to Harry Gaines, of this place, and J. W. Rhodes, late superintendent of the St. Paul,

SLAIN BY BANDITS.

Mail Stage Held Up and Six Passen gers Put to Death.

TUCSON, A. T., March 13,-Mexican bandits held up the stage which runs berelinquish his profession by threatening to tween Potoma and Torin, on the Yaqui river, in Sonora, on last Tuesday night, killing all of the six passengers. Among them was Filiberto Alvarado, a wealthy Mexican, who owns a number of ranches along the Yaqui river. The authorities at Guayamas were at once notified. Alvarado and his wife had taken the stage from Polam to Torin, and the men no doubt thought they carried a large sum of money with them. The stage carried very little mail and scarcely any money or valuables, so that Alvarado must have been the mark for the bandits. Advices from Hermosillo, Mex., to-night

say that one more body has been found near the place of the hold-up and massacre of the passengers of the stage running be-Torreon and Potam. The body found is that of a woman. It had been terribly mutilated and afterwards dragged fifty yards into the bushes. A rope was found around the neck, showing that the woman had been choked to death. In all five persons were killed. It has been definitely confirmed that the bandits were Yaqui Indians, numbering fifteen or twen-They were evidently well armed, as the bodies of the dead were riddled with bullets. Two companies of soldiers are on the trail of the Indians.

PROFILE OF WASHINGTON.

It Was Made by Nature in the Brown

Heart of the Washington Elm. HARTFORD, Conn., March 13.-It was recently decided that what was left of the "Washington elm," so known, because of the story that Washington stopped under it when he visited Capt. Jeremiah Wadsworth on the occasion of the conference with Rochambeau, must come down, and many persons managed to get pieces of the Superintendent of Streets Hausting when asked about the story which gave the tree its name: "Why, if that tree could speak it would prove it. moment later he picked up a limb some

MARION, Ind., March 13 .- It is stated on | four inches through and there, at the crosssection, was a perfect profile of Washington, like a miniature in Sepia. It was made nounce it a marvel. Mr. Hausting will have it mounted and handed down to succeeding generations.

LIKE FRENCH DEPUTIES.

Missouri Legislators Participate in Fight in the House.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., March 13 .-Speaker Whitecotton took the floor to-day when the discussion of the Davidson school text-book bill was on in the House and made the charge that boodle was being used to defeat the bill. As the discussion proceeded Representative C. M. Selph, of St. Louis, and Doorkeeper J. E. Clark became involved in controversy because the doorkeeper commanded Selph to keep quiet. Clark struck Selph and the House was in an uproar. Several members jumped on desks and yelled for order. Some moved to adjourn while at least a dozen more rushed to the doorkeeper's station and took part in the row. Order was finally restored after the appointment of a committee to assist the sergeant-at-arms in clearing the lobby and seating members.

OIL IN MICHIGAN.

People of Niles and Vicinity Greatly Excited Over the Discovery.

NILES, Mich., March 13 .- The people of Niles and vicinity are wild with excitement over the discovery of oil a mile west of town. The strike was made on the Baumann farm. A well was drilled by the Niles Gas and Oil Company to a depth of 700 feet, and when the drill penetrated carboniferous limestone yesterday there was unusual for Wabash. a showing of oil. The drill was sunk several feet deeper, whereupon the bailer brought gallons of fine lubricating oil to the surface. A halt was called and a meeting of the directors of the company was held, and it was decided to shoot the well C. H. Dabney, the contractor who is drilling the well, says a twenty-five-barrel-a-

SNOWBOUND A MONTH.

Two Women Passengers Arrive at St Johns After a Long Detention. bound in the interior reached St. Johns to-night after a month's detention. They drifts until the blizzard ceased, and then were transported across forty-five miles of snowy wastes on dog sleds, until they reached the railroad line. Railroad traffic with the more remote regions is still sus-

RIOTOUS PURDUE FRESHMEN WILL REFUSE TO GIVE TESTIMONY.

Say They Cannot Incriminate Them selves, and Therefore Expect to Go Free or to Effect a Compromise.

FOUR MEN ARE UNDER ARREST

TACKLE AT FOOTBALL.

ONE OF THESE IS ALLEN, A STAR

Faculty's Intentions Not Known-I. U. Without a Baseball Coach-De Pauw Out for a Good Season.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. LAFAYETTE, Ind., March 13 .- Following the affidavit filed against the members of the Purdue freshman class by Prosecutor Randolph yesterday afternoon four students were arrested to-day, and many other arrests will be made. David Allen, the star football tackle, was the first man arrested. The others were George Galpin, aged eighteen; Clyde Myers, twenty-one; Oscar West, twenty-two. Allen is twentythree. What questions were asked by the authorities are not known, as every effort is being made to keep the details secret. Superintendent Harrison to-day would not divulge the course to be pursued by the authorities, but it has been learned from some freshmen concerned that it is the court's intention to propose to the class untarily advance the wages of the men 25 | that the ringleaders in the Columbian Hall pay a fine of \$1 and costs per capita, which

> The students are basing their hope for acquittal on the fact that the court cannot compel them to incriminate themselves by answering any questions regarding the riot, as any information given would be equivalent to confession of participation in the affair. It is known that the students are standing firmly together in the case, and if heavy fines are assessed they will be paid by a class levy. Negotiations for a settlement of the trouble were under way to-day, Attorneys W. A. Friel and Daniel P. Flanagan representing the Purdue men. The owners of Columbia Hall still main tain that \$400 will be necessary to repair the damage done by the rioting freshmen, although a compromise figure may be reached. President Stone refused to say whether he would expel any of those concerned in the affair, but it is not probable that such action will be taken, at least before the case is settled in court. The finale of the entire affair must be a financial settlement, and already the freshmen are preparing to meet any such emergency. It is not probable that the sophomores will suffer in any event, as they were not in the offensive and did not destroy any property. President Stone yesterday had some long councils with the sophomore leaders. President Wells, of the secondyear class, was called in for a lengthy interview. He admitted that the tickets for the banquet were sold at Wednesday afternoon's meeting, directly after Dr. Stone left the room after refusing to allow the banquet to be held. The banquet committee probably will suffer if any are expelled. for they were the instigators of the affair in direct violation of President Stone's or-

> A meeting of the faculty will be held to determine what shall be done with the students named in the warrants. The arrest of Allen to-day was the subject of much discussion, for he is regarded as one of the strongest football players in school. Should he be dropped from school the freshmen say they will all go out. Allen this afternoon received a notice to call on President Stone, and he fears it will mean his dismissal. School work was a secondary consideration among under classmen to-day, the action of the police authorities being discussed at all points in the buildings and on the campus. Prosecutor Randolph is busy on a case now being tried before the Circuit Court and cannot devote much time to the riot case at pres-

> Purdue short-course agricultural students last night worked a surprise on the freshmen by painting out the '06 numerals on the tank and substituting the letters "S. H.," standing for "Shorthorn," the name by which the short-course men are known to all regular students. This is the first time in the history of the university that the short-course men have undertaken to follow in the footsteps of the regulars. To-day their course ended, and the painting of the tank was to celebrate the fact. Freshmen are preparing to replace their numerals on the tank.

WABASH COLLEGE.

Special Efforts Will Be Made to Add \$500,000 to the Endowment.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. CRAWFORDSVILLE, Ind., March 13.-The board of trustees has appointed a speand Edward Daniels, of Indianapolis; Judge D. P. Baldwin, Logansport; Judge Thomas R. Paxton, Princeton; Prof. J. L. Campbell and President W. P. Kane, of this city, to make a determined effort to add half a million dollars to the endowment fund of the college. The present endowment fund was adequate to the needs of the college when interest rates were high, but since the marked decline in the rate the college has had much difficulty in living within its income. The board also contemplates the establishment of additional scholarships, the erection of one or more dormitories and the addition of some professorships, particularly one of rhetoric and public speaking, one of biblical literature and ethics and one of applied science. Circulars are being sent out to all the old students, graduates and nongraduates, as a personal appeal for individual co-operation, and the committee feels confident that the amount may be raised in a short time. The local chapter of Phi Delta Tneta has

invited the Epsilon province to hold a convention in Crawfordsville during the spring term, and the invitation has been accepted. The province includes all the chapters in Indiana, and a Wabash man, Will H. Hays, of Sullivan, is president. At this meeting other officers of the province will be elected. Wabash held a preliminary track meet this week to select representatives for the contest of the Amateur Athletic Association at Tomlinson Hall, Indianapolis, next Friday. Chester Scott won first in the 35 and 60-yard dashes, W. S. Reed won the half-mile and mile runs, Frederick Heintz took first in the quarter mile. In the high jump there was a tie between Marshall and Pierce, and in the pole vault a tie between Reed and Carscallen. Physical Director Hains has named Reed, Heintz and Scott to represent the college in Indianapolis A summer school will be conducted this

year, beginning on June 22. Several members of the college faculty will belong to the corps of instructors, but it is wholly a private enterprise and not under the college auspices. The work of the summer term will be open to both sexes, a thing

DE PAUW UNIVERSITY.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

Plethorn of Good Men from Among Whom to Select Baseball Team.

GREENCASTLE, Ind., March 13 .- De Pauw is getting into line for the baseball championship this season, with a crowd of candidates out from which a team may be selected that will go ahead even of De Pauw's average. In Cole, who is a comparatively new student here, there is a pitcher that is worthy to follow in Pulse's footsteps, which is saying a good deal. Cole has swiftness and curves, and seems to be proof against fatigue. He is not as good at the bat as he should be, but will probably work out with practice. Cording, who pitched good ball last spring, will be sub for Cole. Behind the bat there will be Preston and Nicely, both of whom are good men and experienced players, good at nning. Martin un ly will get third again, and Woody is a

candidate for first. Most of the candidates are after the outfield, and there will be trouble in making a satisfactory selection for the three fielding jobs because of the number of good men. The infield is not being sought very strongly.

STILL WITHOUT A COACH.

Indiana's Baseball Team Unable to Secure an Acceptable Man.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. BLOOMINGTON, Ind., March 13.-Coach Horne is still looking out for a coach for Indiana's baseball nine this year. Bob Wicker, of St. Louis, who was to have coached, has thrown up the contract, and it is probable that no coach will be secured until next term. Schooler, of Edinburg, who was a star baseball man here in his college days and captain of the '95 team, is being considered favorably for the

Indiana's schedule will open here on April 11 with a game with the Manual Training High School of Indianapolis, and about the middle of April the team will leave for a brief tour through Kentucky, where a series of games will be played at Louisville, Lexington and Danville. The athletic board has decided to have

an interscholastic high school meet here on Jordan Field on May 16. All the prominent high schools of the State will be invited and given an opportunity to make entries. This occasion is looked forward to as one of the biggest athletic features of the term, and the athletic board expects a heavy list of entires.

EARLHAM WINS DEBATE.

Defeats Butler on the Question of Compulsory Arbitration.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. RICHMOND, Ind., March 13.-Earlham to-night won the debate with Butler, which was held in Lindley Hall. There was much interest and a large audience assembled. Judge D. W. Comstock, of the Appellate bench, presided. As Earlham has held the undisputed title to the championship of the State in debate, having defeated De Pauw, Indiana University and Butler, the winner Indiana, and a due proportion will be given to-night is entitled to that honor. The hould provide for boards of arbitration, with power to compel parties to labor disputes to submit their disputes to arbitration and to abide by the board's decision." The Earlham trio, Joseph Kenney, Edmund Dickinson and Morris Dillon, the last mentioned of Indianapolis, upheld the affirmative, while Pritchard, Underwood and Both sides had made splendid preparation. The judges were Prof. C. A. Waldo, professor of mathematics at Purdue University; Dean Rogers, of the Cincinnati Law School, and W. R. Snyder, superintendent of the Muncle schools. The decision of the judges was unanimous.

A Philippine Indianian.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. BLOOMINGTON, Ind., March 13.-W. E. Woodburn, cashier of the First National Bank in this city, has just received a letter from his son-in-law, D. O. McGovney, who is a professor in the Manila Normal School, announcing the birth of a baby boy-the first Indianian to be born in the Philippines. Professor McGovney is a graduate of Indiana University and was prominent during his college career on the athletic and de-bating teams. He married Miss Laura Woodburn, of this city, and has been professor in the Manila Normal School for more than a year.

Football May Be Improved. CAMBRIDGE, Mass., March 13.-An interesting canvass has been made among Harvard men on the question brought up recently by Professor Hobbs, chairman of the crimson athletic committee, regarding football between Yale and Harvard. Twenty-four students voted in favor of abolishing the annual game between the universities, while 344 opposed such a step. Large majorities indorsed the opinion that a more open style of play would improve the game, and that the objectionable features of football could be removed without injuring the game as a sport.

Athletic Agreement Ratified.

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., March 13 .- The Harvard-Yale athletic agreement has been ratified on the part of Harvard, making the document binding from this date.

TWO MYSTERIES.

Death of a Rich Planter and Disap

pearance of a Valuable Satchel. NEW YORK, March 13.-Immigration officials at Ellis island are confronted with a case in which death and the disappearance of a satchel said to have contained thousands of dollars figure. The owner of the satchel, Antonio Belens, a Brazilian, and his traveling companion, a Belgian girl arrived as first cabin passengers on Wednesday from Bahia, Brazil, accompanied by two boys, a son and a nephew of Belens. At quarantine it was found that Belens had a high fever from kidney trouble. Later he died. The girl and the boys were taken to Ellis island, and the girl told the authorities there that Belens

was a rich planter. An acquaintance of Belens called on the girl at Ellis island and after a talk said that before Belens left the ship at quarantine he gave the girl \$2,200 out of a satchel, which, she said, held several thousand dollars. Questioned by a special board of inquiry the girl said she expected to marry times as la Belens in New York. The quarantine au- his palace. thorities said they had not seen the satchel. although just before he died Belens told one of the nurses that he would find money enough in the satchel to pay all expenses. The girl said she wanted to go back to Bahia and take the two boys with her.

EXPLOSION OF FIRE DAMP.

Three Men Killed and Fourteen Se-

verely Injured in a Colliery. PONTIAC, Ill., March 13.-Three men were killed and fourteen were severely injured last night by an explosion of firedamp in the mine of the Cardiff Coal Company. The dead are John McClosky, Joseph Huett and Zrei Azofino. Miners at the mouth of the shaft were awakened by the explosion and rescued the injured and recovered the dead bodies from the mine. Some of the injured may die.

Four Dead, Four Missing.

IRON MOUNTAIN, Mich., March 13 .-Four miners are dead and four others are missing to-day as the result of a rush of water which flooded the fourth level of the The flood was caused by the men's working through the wall of their level into an old working, which had been flooded. Tweive miners were at work in the fourth level. but four managed to escape. The recovered dead are: Henry Jaeger, Captain Williams. John Davey and John Richards.

KILLED BY A TROLLEY WIRE.

Fate of a Motorman Whose Body Was Enveloped in Blue Flame.

NEW YORK, March 13 .- An overhead trolley wire in the Bronx broke last night falling on a motorman, who was instantly killed by the current and fell over the dashboard of the car, which passed over his body. The car was enveloped in a sheet of blue flame, but the conductor and the one passenger on the car at the time escaped The body of the motorman, which was frightfully burned, could not be extricated from beneath the car until the current was shut off at the power house.

QUAKE AT OLYMPIA.

Buildings Shaken So that Occupants

Ran Into the Street. OLYMPIA, Wash., March 13 .- An unusually perceptible earthquake was felt in Olympia at 6:25 o'clock to-night. Buildings were shaken so that the occupants ran into the streets in alarm. The principal shock was preceded by a tremor of a few seconds and followed by a slight tremor, the entire disturbance lasting nine seconds. A rumbling noise accompanied the shock. Two distinct shocks were felt in Seattle about 6:40 to-night, and Tacoma also feit tremors.

Through Treasurer Frank A. Branag of the Philippine archipelago, the control of the currency at Washington has received banks doing business in the Philippin The reports embrace returns from

ABOUT 500 MORE RURAL MAIL ROUTES TO BE ESTABLISHED.

Extension of the Service Throughout the State to Begin on Opening of Next Fiscal Year.

MR. MACHEN'S EXPECTATIONS

HE THINKS WHOLE STATE WILL BE COVERED WITHIN TWO YEARS.

Census Bureau at Work on Indiana Mining Statistics-New Arms for State Militia Soon.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. WASHINGTON, March 13.-Plans are being perfected for the extension of rural free delivery during the fiscal year beginning July 1. The department has about \$3,000,000 available for the purpose. No additional routes other than those already ordered will be established between now and July. During the next fiscal year it is estimated that about ten thousand routes will be established. Twenty per cent. of this number will be apportioned to the middle division, which has headquarters at Indianapolis. Although the plans of the department are not yet perfected, about five hundred additional routes will be established in to the other States comprising the middle question was, "Resolved. That our laws division. During the coming year at least one county service will be etasblished in each congresional district in Indiana. Superintendent Machen, of the free delivery service, said to-day that within two years the entire State will be covered by rural mail delivery.

> The Census Bureau has commenced active operations for the taking of a census of the mines of the United States. Special are not offered for sale at this time, and attention will be given to securing data from the coal mining regions of Indiana and other coal-producing States. It is the purpose of the bureau to secure a more complete compilation on the mining industry of the Nation than has ever been pub-Agents are now working in the coal fields of Indiana, and in addition the bureau is receiving considerable information from that State by means of correspondence. The data collected will be embraced in a report which will be ready for publication y the end of the year.

U. S. Swaysgood will be the next postmaster at Waterloo, succeeding William H.

The Indiana National Guard will soon receive new arms and equipment in accordance with the act passed by the last Congress. Secretary Root, having returned to the city, it is expected that announcement will soon be made as to what course will be pursued in exchanging new arms and equipment for those now in the hands of the various guard organizations. The delay in action under the new law has been occasioned by the desire of Secretary Root to get a detailed report from a special board of army officers as to the needs of the various States. This report is now ready, and as soon as he has examined it Secretary Root will be prepared to act.

The Union National Bank of Indianapolis has been approved as a reserve agent for the First National Bank of Laporte. Rural free delivery will be established

at St. Paul, Decatur county, on April 1,

covering an area of forty-nine square miles, with a population of 1,425. XXX Ralph Bamberger, of Indianapolis, arrived in Washington to-day. It is understood he is here on business before the

T. H. Adams, postmaster at Vincennes, is in the city.

Postoffice Department.

Representative Cromer has gone to New York. He will return here next week

TRADE, INDUSTRY, FINANCE. James B. Speyer, R. B. Van Cortland and G. R. Fearing, jr., have been elected di-

the company. The Detroit Free Press says that a new independent tobacco factory with a capital of \$5,000,000 furnished by Eastern capitalists is to be built in Detroit, and that John A. Grow, formerly with Daniel Scotten & Co., is to be its manager. It is announced that the New York firm

Gould's country home, Georgian Court, at Lakewood, N. J., has been asked by the King of Slam to make an estimate on the cost of erecting a similar fountain, five times as large, in the central courtyard of The plant of the Illinois Steel Company, at Joliet, will resume work next Monday morning in all departments, after being idle for several weeks on account of a scarcity of coke. This will put three thou-

sand men to work and also means the re-

sumption of work in the mills of the Ameri-

can Steel and Wire Company, where two thousand men are employed. Sixty-five thousand dollars of Hawailan money has been transferred from the United States subtreasury to the San Francisco mint. This is the first consignment of Hawaiian coins to be melted and turned nto United States money. The work of recoinage will begin at once, and as soon as the metal bears the stamp of the American eagle and the seal of the island money will be sent to the mint by the San Francisco subtreasurer. There is still \$200,000 of this money in the subtreasury and from now on until the \$1,000,000 point is reached, every steamer from Honolulu is expected

to bring more of it for recoinage. Messrs. J. W. Jenks, of Cornell University, Charles A. Conant, vice president of the Morton Trust Company of New York, and Edward Brush, vice president of the American Smelting and Refining Company, invited by Finance Minister Limantour to visit the City of Mexico to study the silver situation and aid in forming a plan for Millie mine in which they were working. giving Mexico a stabilized currency, were formally presented to Finance Minister Limantour on Friday. Much is expected from the councils and experience of these Americans. The conviction grows that the country will soon adopt a modified gold standard giving stability of value to the silver peso.

The annual report of the Hamburg-American Steamship Company, made publie at Berlin Friday, shows the net profits to be \$4,039,060, against \$4,838,630 for 1901. A dividend of 4½ per cent. was declared, against 6 per cent. the previous year. The write-off of the steamers was \$2,211,626. against \$2,957,398. The report says 1902 was an uncommonly bad year for freight from the United States, that the exports of Germany to the United States increased and that the north Atlantic passenger business was exceptionally good. The company was unable to avail itself fully of the passenger possibilities owing to the accidents to the Deutschland.

Police Commissioner Francis V. Greene, of New York, who is president of the Asphalt Company of America, was served Friday night with an order signed by Vice Chancellor Stevenson, of Jersey City, requiring the company to show cause why the proceedings brought in the United States Circuit Court for the District of New Jersey, appointing receivers for the company, should not be dissolved. The application was made by Charles E. Hen-drickson, jr., representing two of the holders of what is known as the gold certificates of the company. The company has a capital stock of \$30,000,000, and in addition issued the same amount of gold certificates or bonds. A short time ago two receivers were appointed by the United States Circuit Court of New Jersey on the ground that the company was insolvent.

Through Treasurer Frank A. Branagan. of the Philippine archipelago, the controller of the currency at Washington has received eports of the condition on Dec. 31, 1902, of

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Hong-Kong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, the Chartered Bank of India, Australia and China, the Spanish-Filipino Bank, the International banking corporations, the American Bank, the pawnshops and savings banks. The banking points in the islands, as shown by the reports, are Manila, Iloilo and Cebu. The aggregate re-sources of the banks are \$30,167,831, the principal item being loans and discounts, \$12,-041,901. The reported capital stock is \$1,-385,731; reserve fund. \$1,273,732; undivided profits, \$262,284; bank notes outstanding, \$1,-042,990; deposits, \$25,787,752.

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The Merchant Tailors' National Protective Association has been organized in New York, with local organizations affiliated with it in practically every important city and town in this country and Canada. It is an outgrowth of the Merchant Tailors' National Exchange, and plans for its forma-tion were talked of during the convention of that body, which was held in Cincinnati last month. Its objects are to give to the merchant tailors of the country the same standing relative to dealing with the labor question that the Journeymen Tailors' Union gives to the employes. Headquarters have been established at 241 Fifth avenue, New York. The executive board is com-posed of B. R. Merwin, president, New York; John T. Gard, first vice president, Buffalo; J. S. Jennings, second vice president, Detroit; Harvey A. Patterson, treasurer, New York; Charles J. Stillwell, sec-

retary and commissioner, Brooklyn, N. Y. The new Louisville & Nashville collateral trust mortgage 4 per cent. bonds of the recently authorized issue of \$30,000,000 will be exchanged at 961/2 for the bonds of the \$7,500,900 old collateral trust 5 per cent. twenty-year issue, which has been called for April 1. The Columbia Finance and Trust Company, of Louisville, announces that it had been authorized by J. P. Morgan & Co., of New York, to take the old bonds and give negotiable receipts for them until the new bonds arrive. Due bills will be given for the interest and the difference no orders will be taken for them until further advices are received from J. P. Morgan & Co. It was at first announced that the bonds would be placed on sale at 961/2 but this instruction was countermanded from New York by telegraph. The \$30,000,-000 new 4 per cent. collateral trust mortgage bonds are secured by other bonds aggregating \$36,640,000.

CAR OF POWDER EXPLODES.

But Three Cars of Dynamite in the

Same Train Remain Intact. OLEAN, N. Y., March 13 .- A freight train, containing a car of powder and three cars of dynamite, collided with a switch engine on the Pennsylvania Railroad here to-day. The powder exploded, blowing the car to pieces. Eight other cars were wrecked, but the dynamite did not explode, No one was badly hurt. It was in this city that the dreadful explosion of petroleum in railroad cars occurred a few days ago, killing fourteen persons and wounding

many others.

Wrecks on the Great Northern. HELENA, Mont., March 13.-Several wreck occurred on the Great Northern last night and early this morning. One was at Lake View, west of Kalispel, where A. L. Solberg was badly injured, having his head badly crushed and three ribs broken. Another wreck was reported to a westbound passenger train east of Essex. It ran into a rotary snow plow, killing one man, a bridge carpenter, whose name is not obtainable, and badly injuring Conductor McKenzie, of the snow plow, and his brakeman. A snow slide, more than two hundred feet long, occurred and blocked the track completely. A freight train is reported wrecked in the mountains east of Kalispel. Another wreck is reported on the Jenning branch, in which, it is said, the whole train left the track. The accident

was caused by a slide. Solberg is at the hospital resting easy.

Five Passengers Injured. Representative Brick left for home to-FORT DODGE, Ia., March 13.-The Chicago limited, west-bound, on the Illinois Central Railway was wrecked at Pomeroy to-day and five passengers were injured, as follows: Miss Elia Watson, Fort Dodge, head cut; Mrs. H. A. Peterson, Fort Dodge, back cut and bruised; unidentified woman, Rockford, Ill., head cut; W. D. Hunt, St. Louis, hand cut and bruised; J. T. Perry, New York, back cut. The chair car and rectors of the Lackawanna Steel Company. one sleeper left the track, the former being Mr. Fearing represents Boston interests in overturned. The train was running at full

speed when the accident occurred. The cause of the wreck is unknown Five Railway Employes Hurt. CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., March 13 .- A few minutes after 2 o'clock this morning passenger trains Nos. 4 and 3, on the Nashwhich supplied the fountain at George J. ville, Chattanooga & St. Louis Railroad collided on the main line near Shell Mound. Tenn., headend and five members of the crew were injured. Officials of the road in waited at Shell Mound for No. 4 to take the switch at that place. Mark E. Paul, engl-

> jured. There were no passengers injured. Three Passengers Injured.

neer of No. 4, was the most seriously in-

CHICAGO, March 13 .- A Chicago & Eastern Illinois in-coming passenger train ran into a freight train at the Fortieth-street crossing of the Chicago Junction Railway to-day. Three passengers were slightly injured and a panic ensued among the others. The engineer of the passenger falled to see the signals.

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